HOUSE BILL No. 1241

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 4-30-3-8.

Synopsis: Lottery advertising. Restricts the hours for radio and television lottery advertising. Restricts signs and displays promoting the lottery to the premises of lottery retailers.

Effective: July 1, 2008.

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January 14, 2008, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Policy.



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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2007 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning gaming.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:



- SECTION 1. IC 4-30-3-8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2008]: Sec. 8. (a) **Except as permitted by this section**, the commission may **not** promote and or advertise the lottery.
- (b) A promotion may refer to the total lottery prize, even though the prize may be paid over a period of years.
- (c) The commission may act as a retailer and conduct promotions involving the dispensing of free lottery tickets.
- (d) The director may authorize a sales incentive program for employees of the commission for the purpose of increasing the sales volume and distribution of lottery tickets.
- (e) Radio and television advertising for the lottery is permitted, but may only be broadcast after 11 p.m. and before 8 a.m.
- (f) Signs and displays promoting the lottery are permitted, but may not be placed in any location other than the premises of a lottery retailer.
- SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2008] (a) Notwithstanding IC 4-30-3-8, as amended by this act, the state lottery commission



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may fulfill its obligations under a contract to advertise or promote
the state lottery if the contract is entered into before July 1, 2008

(b) A contract entered into after June 30, 2008, to promote or
advertise the state lottery in a form that violates IC 4-30-3-8, as
amended by this act, is void as against public policy.

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